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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Education of the City of Los Angeles will receive bids for furnishing all labor and material for the following work:

Kind of Work and Name of School Date of Bid Opening
STRENGTHENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SCIENCE AND HOME ECONOMICS BUILDING AT THE TORRANCE HIGH SCHOOL March 24, 1944

Priority Notice: The District has been assigned on AA-3 preference rating from the War Production Board (Serial No. 123608).

Each bid shall be in accordance with drawings, specifications and other contract documents now on file in the Architectural Section of the Business Division of said Board, 1425 So. San Pedro Street, Los Angeles, California.

Pursuant to the Labor Code of the State of California, the Board of Education has ascertained the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for each craft or type of workman needed to execute the contracts which will be awarded the successful bidders; and these prevailing rates are contained in said specifications adopted by the Board, and are as follows:

Classification FOREMEN

All foremen not herein separately classified shall be paid not less than \$1.00 per day more than the journeyman rate for the craft involved.

APPRENTICES May be employed in conformity with Section 1777.5 of the California Labor Code.

RIGGERS Same wage scale as craft to which rigging is incidental.

WELDERS Same wage scale as craft to which welding is incidental (except pipe line).

Classification ASBESTOS WORKERS

Asbestos Worker (Heat and Frost Insulator) \$1.50

BLACKSMITHS

Blacksmith 1.375

Blacksmith's Helper 1.00

BOILER MAKERS

Boiler Maker—Foreman 1.90

Boiler Maker—Subforeman 1.75

Boiler Maker 1.65

Boiler Maker's Helper 1.40

BRICKLAYERS

Bricklayer 1.50

Bricklayer Tender Any Capacity 1.125

Marble Setter 1.375

Terrazzo Setter 1.43%

Tile Setter 1.43%

CARPENTERS

Carpenter 1.35

Floorlayer 1.425

Millwright 1.55

Pile Driver Man—Bridge or Dock Carpenter 1.575

Pile Driver Foreman 1.875

CEMENT FINISHERS

Cement Finisher 1.50

Cement Finisher (Composition or Mastic) 1.625

Cement Floor Finishing Machine Operator 1.625

ELECTRICIANS

Electrician—Foreman 1.95

Electrician 1.70

Lineman 1.70

Lineman's Helper 1.125

ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS

Elevator Constructor 1.53

Elevator Constructor's Helper 1.07

GUNITE WORKERS

Rod Man 1.375

Nozzle Man 1.375

Gun Man 1.125

Mixer Man 1.025

Rebound Man .875

HOUSEMOVERS

Housemover—Heavy 1.25

Housemover—Light 1.00

Junior Housemover .875

Housemover Foreman—Heavy 1.50

Housemover Foreman—Light 1.25

IRON WORKERS

Structural Iron Worker 1.625

Ornamental Iron Worker 1.50

Reinforcing Iron Worker 1.50

Metal Pan Setter .95

Ornamental or Structural Iron Worker Foreman Rate is 25c per hour more than the Journeyman Rate.

LABORERS

General or Construction, including all laborers not herein separately classified, on all types of construction. 875

LABORERS

Underground Laborer, including Caisson Bellowers. 1.00

LABORERS

Operators and Tenders of pneumatic and electric tools, vibrating machines, and similar mechanical tools not separately classified herein 1.125

LABORERS, SPECIAL

Asphalt Raker and Ironer 1.125

Cutting Torch Operator (demolition) 1.00

Drillers (core, diamond or wagon) 1.375

Drillers (all others) 1.225

Sandblaster (nozzlemans) 1.375

Sandblast Pot Tender 1.125

Scaler (using mechanical tool) 1.125

Scaler 1.00

Table listing various construction jobs and their rates, including Material Loader or Conveyor Operator (1.25), Mechanical Tamper and Finisher Operator (1.375), Motor Patrol Operator (1.625), etc.

Table listing various construction jobs and their rates, including PAINTERS (Glazier 1.25, Linoleum or Carpet Layer 1.375), PLASTERERS (Plasterer 1.66%, Plasterer Tender 1.375), etc.

Table listing various construction jobs and their rates, including PLUMBERS AND FITTERS (Plumber, Gas or Lawn Sprinkler Fitter 1.50), SHEET METAL WORKERS (Sheet Metal Worker 1.50), etc.

Table listing various construction jobs and their rates, including TRUCK DRIVERS, TEAMSTERS, AND WAREHOUSEMEN (Drivers of Euclid Type Spreaders Trucks 1.375), etc.

The rates of per diem wages for each of the various classifications of work shall be the hereinbefore set forth prevailing rates of hourly wages multiplied by eight (8). Eight (8) hours shall constitute a day's work; it being understood that in the event that workmen are employed less than eight (8) hours per day, the per diem wages shall be deemed to be that fraction of the per diem wages herein established that the number of hours of employment bears to eight (8) hours.

The overtime rule establishing the rates of wages for overtime and holiday work shall be in accordance with the following: Where a single shift is worked, eight hours of continuous employment, except for lunch periods, shall constitute a day's work beginning on Monday and through Friday of each week.

The rates of wages including overtime and holiday rates above specified are subject to the effect, if applicable thereto, of executive orders of the President of the United States, and to any modification thereof and to any and all lawful orders of the President or any other authorized Federal officer or agency, in so far as the same may be applicable to this contract.

Holidays as herein referred to shall be deemed to be New Year's Day, Decoration Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. If any of the above holidays fall on Sunday, the Monday following shall be considered a legal holiday.

It shall be mandatory upon the contractor to whom a contract is awarded, and upon all subcontractors under him, to pay not less than said general prevailing rates of per diem wages to all workmen employed in the execution of the contract.

Notice is also hereby given that all bidders may submit with their bids, a sworn statement of their financial responsibility, technical ability and experience. Such sworn statement may be required to be furnished before award is made to any particular bidder.

Each bid shall be made out on forms to be obtained at said Architectural Section of the Board of Education; must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check or bidder's bond (issued by a surety company accredited by the Board of Education) for not less than Five Per Cent (5%) of the amount of the bid, made payable to the order of the Board of Education of the City of Los Angeles; shall be sealed and filed with the Purchasing Agent of the Board of Education, Room 200, 1425 South San Pedro Street, on or before 2:00 P. M. on the dates shown above and will be opened and read aloud in public at, or about, said time and in the public hall, second floor, of the above address.

The above-mentioned check or bidder's bond shall be given as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into contract if awarded the work, or any part thereof, and will be declared forfeited if the successful bidder refuses to enter into contract after being requested to do so by the Board of Education.

The successful bidders will be required to furnish labor and material bonds in an amount equal to 75% of the contract price, and faithful performance bonds in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price, said bonds to be secured by a surety company or surety companies satisfactory to the Board of Education. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and/or

waive any informality on a bid. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening thereof. By order of the Board of Education of the City of Los Angeles. DATED Los Angeles, California, March 6, 1944. A. S. NIBECKER, JR., Business Manager and Architect.

Dangerous Solvent Warning Issued by County Health Dept.

A warning regarding the use of solvents whose dangerous effects upon health may not be known was broadcast today by Dr. Hugh Dierker, industrial hygiene chief of the county health department. "Cases of serious illness have occurred in this area from breathing vapors of toxic solvents used either in new industrial processes or as substitutes for solvents which have become difficult to obtain," Dr. Dierker stated.

Anti-Closed Shop Proposal Given Title

The attorney general's office has issued a title for a proposed initiative constitutional amendment. The title is "Right of Employment," aimed primarily to outlaw the compulsory closed shop and guarantees right of employment, free from interference because an employee dies or does not belong to or pay money to a labor organization. To get a place on the November ballot the petition requires signatures of 178,764 qualified voters of the state by June 9, it was announced.

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Date of primary is May 16. Applications for state absentee ballots may be made either in accordance with California law or by mailing the official post card to the secretary of state, Sacramento, so as to reach Sacramento on or as soon as possible after April 6. Ballots must be executed by May 16, and must be received by appropriate local election officials by June 1.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Guy L. Mowry, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of Guy L. Mowry, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to present them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administratrix at the office of Chas. T. Rippey, 1331 Post Ave., City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated Mar. 1, 1944. KATHERINE ADKINSON MOWRY, Administratrix of the Estate of said deceased. CHAS. T. RIPPY Attorney 1331 Post ave. Torrance, Calif. Mar. 2-9-16-23

Navy's Rubber Needs Supplied By Substitutes

Disclosure today by Eleventh Naval District officials that 75 percent of the Navy's crude rubber requirements have been replaced by substitutes, was bad news for the Japanese, who thought their conquest of the Dutch East Indies and the Malayan Peninsula rubber plantations would have disastrous repercussions on the American war machine. This accomplishment of conversion, carried out in cooperation with the War Production Board and other agencies, parallels the Navy's intensive program of rubber conservation and salvage.

More than 2,000 tons of usable rubber have been reclaimed from 13 war theaters by material redistribution units and uncountable thousands of miles have been added to the life of tires through district tire warehouse pools.

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